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## **COMMUNICATION TO THE BOARD**

The undersigned wishes to bring to the attention of the Board and assure that the Board is aware that two divisional applications have been filed claiming priority of the present application. These applications are currently being prosecuted and Appellant wishes to assure that the Board is aware of their existence and the existence of art cited in these applications and positions taken by the Examiner (the same Examiner as the present application).

These applications may have been most properly listed in the "related proceedings" Appendix to the Appeal Brief, but such listing was inadvertently omitted. Appellant regrets this inadvertent error and any inconvenience this may cause the Board, but wishes to assure that the Board is fully informed in making its decision.

The divisional applications are: Application Serial Number 12/386,582 filed April 21, 2009 and Application Serial Number 12/386,580 also filed April 21, 2009.

Appellant wishes for the present appeal to proceed to final disposition at the Board and earnestly solicits a favorable decision at an early date.

Respectfully submitted,

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